

DESCRIPTIONS OF TWO NEW SPECIES OF *CLAUSILLA* FROM
THE PROVINCE OF CHE-KIANG, CHINA.

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THE two species, which I now describe, are from Kiu-chau, in the Che-kiang Province.

The true *C. Cecillei*, Phil., and *C. Moellendorffiana*, Heude, were found with them; whilst of the latter a beautiful white specimen was obtained.

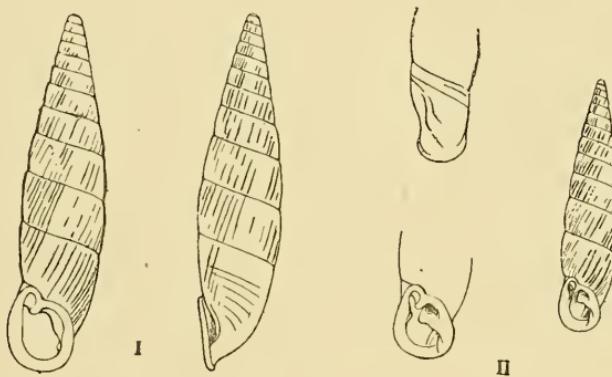


FIG. I. *Clausilia timalteha*, n.sp.

,, II. *Clausilia labyrinthoides*, n.sp., with enlarged outlines of mouth and back of body-whorl.

CLAUSSILIA TIMALTHEA, n.sp.

Testa subrimata, elongato-fusiformis, solida, substriata, parum nitida, brunneo-castanea, apice pallidiore, obtuso; anfr. 12, plano-convexi, ultimus attenuatus; apertura quadrato-ovata, superne valde sinuata, subtus paullum recedens; peristoma continuum, solutum, expansum et reflexum, labio albido lato munitum; lamella superior valida, obliqua, marginalis; l. inferior immersa, in profundo rapide ascendens; l. subcolumellaris vix emersa; plica principalis mediocris; plicae palatales quinque aut sex, supera maxima. Alt. 30, lat. 7 mm.; alt. apert. 7, lat. apert. 5.5 mm.

Hab.—Kiu-chau, Che-kiang Province of China.

Its nearest ally appears to be *C. pacifica*, Gredler, from Hunan ; but the present species is larger, the mouth is more quadrate, with a sharp sinus just above the lamella superior. Internally the lamella superior and lamella inferior do not so nearly approach one another, and the lamella subcolumellaris is a trifle more conspicuous ; the shell is also somewhat broader.

CLAUSILIA LABYRINTHOIDES, n.sp.

Testa subrimata, sinistrorsa, gracilis, elongata, solidiuscula, sublente dense striata, pallide flava vel ochracea, apice obtusulo ; anfr. 12-13, plano-convexi, ultimus attenuatus ; apertura piriformis, superne sinuata, subtus recedens ; peristoma albidum, incrassatum, solutum, reflexiusculum, margine sinistro, denticulo obsoleto munito ; lamella superior medioeris, obliqua, l. inferior magna, fere horizontaliter contorta, deinde abrupte ascendens, l. subcolumellaris conspicua, emersa ; plica suturalis unica, mediocris, fere ad labium producta, p. principalis magna, plicae palates tres, breves, supera principali approximata, media in fauce sita minima, infera in apertura conspicua, cum lunella obsoleta interrupta. Alt. 22, lat. 4·2 mm.; alt. ap. 4·3, lat. ap. 2·9 mm.

Hab.—Kiu-chau, Che-kiang Province of China.

An exceedingly interesting form, the armature of which it is most difficult to describe : it will be best gathered from the figures. The type is not quite adult, but shows the armature well. Another more adult specimen measures : alt. 21, diam. 4·2 mm.; alt. ap. 4·7, lat. ap. 3 mm.